

--9. (New) The element of claim 8 which includes also a seating portion--

--10. (New) The element of claim 9 in which said body portion is a longitudinally intermediately folded integral unit thin relative to its transverse width and including a blade-receptive slot extending from the fold at said folded location inwardly thereof,

portion from said fold, each said body portion being spaced from the other suitably to jointly provide a female contact for a male plug blade,

and which also includes a valve portion and a seat portion, at facing ends of said body portion away from said fold.--

--11. (New) The element of claim 8 in which said valving portion is carried by said body portion.--

--12. (New) The element of claim 11 in which said body portion is the annulus of a cylinder in cross-section and said valving portion is a peripheral rib extending outwardly thereof, said body portion including a longitudinal split.--

--13. (New) A plug receptacle premold comprising

an insulative housing,

contact pins carried thereby,

at least one of said pins including

a body portion and

a valving portion.--